GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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SAMARJAN RAILWAY BRIDGE
RANEE NARAH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the Samarjan Railway Bridge, District Dhemaji, Assam has been washed away in flood;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which the reconstruction work of Samarjan Railway Bridge is likely to be completed; and

(d) the expenditure likely to be incurred thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) to (d): No Railway bridge at Samarjan area was washed away. However, approach embankmentof Pile Bridge (Bridge No. 347-C) between stations Gogamukh and Dhemaji was washed away during the floods in 2002. Restoration of approach embankment has been completed with an expenditure of approximately Rs.23.50 lacs.